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JOEL L. KRISTAL

FROM THE DESK OF THE VICE PRESIDENT

Joel Kristal

I hope everyone had a good Hanukkah and had time to enjoy family, friends and, of course latkes and jelly donuts. I would like to thank our Cantor Kravitz for a delightful interactive presentation of Hanukkah music and to those who provided the doughnuts and gelt; Seth Kibel for our brunch entertainment that had people dancing around the room; and the Chabad of Lamberton Drive, Silver Spring, for having a wonderful Hanukkah celebration for the community in the Giant parking lot. There was singing, dancing and plenty of donuts and latkes. We still have a few more months of dreary weather, but we have the bright spots of our religion to look forward to: Tu B'shvat, the day that marks the beginning of a "new year" for trees, Purim and then Pesach. We also have our brunches, kiddushes and onegs along with our first Friday, Reform Service and second Saturday, Conservative Service.

In addition to celebrating happy events, JRLW is available to help in sadder times. We are available to support your Shiva minyan. Upon a call to Herb

FEBRUARY DATES 2023

SHEVAT - ADAR | 5783

- 01 Wed Hadassah Meeting
- 01 Wed JWV Meeting
- 03 Fri Erev Shabbat Service CH II 7:30 pm
- 06 Mon Tu B'Shvat
- 07 Tue JRLW Board Meeting 7:30 pm
- 11 Sat Cons. Shabbat Service CH II 9:15 am
- 15 Wed Hadassah Meeting and Program CH
- 15 Wed Marvin Kalb 7:00 pm on Zoom
- 19 Sun JRLW Brunch CH I 10:00 am
- 20 Mon Hadassah Study Group 1:30 pm
- 21 Tue The Secret History of Ritchie Boys with Beverly Eddie 7 pm zoom

WE WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

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Janice Benenson 2900 N. Leisure World Blvd. #405 Silver Spring MD 20906



Vice President's Message CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1

Hodes at 301-288-4869 (or email him at hjhodes@ yahoo.com) he can arrange a minyan and have the books at a Leisure World residence that night as requested. We are looking for JRLW members to help make the minyan and are always looking for volunteers to help with the service. If you are available, please contact Herb directly.

As has been my habit, I'd like to share a few words from Rabbi Sachs, of blessed memory, following on last month's theme of antisemitism and with Purim and Pesach just around the corner. "Antisemitism is a virus that mutates so that new antisemites can deny that they're antisemites at all because their hate is different from the old. In the Middle Ages, Jews were hated for their religion. In the nineteenth and early twentieth century they were hated for their race. Today they are hated for their nation state, Israel. What all three have in common is that they are different ways of saying that Jews have no right to exist collectively as Jews with the same rights of other human beings... Anti-Zionism, denying Jews the right to their one and only collective home by misrepresenting Judaism, is the new antisemitism."

JRLW's objective is to meet the social, educational and religious needs of our community through a variety of programs and religious events. Thank you, Rebecca Siman (Programming Committee) and Ellyn Kaufman and Harold Geeter (Co-Religious Committee VPs), and your committee volunteers for making things run so smoothly. RELIGIOUS SERVICES FOR FEBRUARY

On Friday, February 3, we will have evening Shabbat Services in Clubhouse II at 7:30 pm. These services will be conducted by Rabbi Gary Fink. Cantor Wendy Gonzales and our Shir Delight will perform. There will be an Oneg following Services.

There will be a Conservative Shabbat Service on Saturday, February 11, in Clubhouse II at 9:15 am. Cantor Mike Kravitz will conduct these services. There will be a Kiddush following services.

MASKS ARE STRONGLY REQUESTED AT ALL SERVICES.

JRLW BRUNCH

Our February JRLW brunch will feature Marc Elrich, Montgomery County Executive. Mr. Elrich will be speaking to us about matters of importance to Montgomery County residents. This is sure to be another sell-out program.

The cost to members for this Sunday buffet is \$21.00 per person, payable by check only at E&R Lifestyle office. You will be placed at a reserved seat. If there are members with whom you would like to sit (tables of ten), please list them. All seats must be paid for at the time of purchase to reserve a table or partial table. Only checks will be accepted for payment.

Remember to have each person bring a mask.

See you at the brunch!

Shalom.

CORRECTION:

Last month the Jewish Broadcasting Service was listed incorrectly. The correct channel number for JBS is 1684. We apologize for the error.

NOTICE: THE DEADLINE FOR THE MARCH MEGILLAH IS FEBRUARY 10. ARTICLES SUBMITTED AFTER THAT DATE WILL APPEAR IN THE APRIL 2023 MEGILLAH.



MEGILLAH STAFF

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POLIO VACCINES

Part 2

Bernie Ascher

Dozens of scientists around the world worked on it, but he was the first to develop a vaccine for polio. The official announcement on April 12, 1955, made Jonas Salk an instant celebrity, a hero, the face of the polio vaccine. He solved a health problem, which had plagued the world for many years, but had become more prevalent in the 1930s and 1940s.

Pathetic pictures of small children on crutches, in leg braces, and in Iron Lungs with only their heads visible, made front-page news on a daily basis. In 1948, President Harry Truman declared all-out war on polio, which heightened attention to the search for a cure or prevention.

At his University of Pittsburgh laboratory, Salk used a method that was contrary to conventional scientific theory at the time. He used dead virus to make the vaccine. Prevailing theory favored the use of live but weakened (attenuated) virus, the method used by Albert Sabin at the University of Cincinnati. Salk's peers were offended by this and especially by the publicity he was receiving from the media. In March 1954, Salk's photo had appeared on the cover of TIME Magazine.

On the date of the official announcement, Edward R. Murrow interviewed Salk on CBS Radio, asking him who owned the patent on the vaccine. Salk answered that there was no patent. "The people own the vaccine," he said. "Could you patent the sun?" Forbes Magazine estimated that Salk lost \$7 billion by not patenting the vaccine. After the interview, according to Pennsylvania Heritage online, Murrow told Salk, "Young man, a great tragedy has just befallen you...You have just lost your anonymity."

The Institute for Infantile Paralysis had a team of lawyers check out the requirements for acquiring a patent. They concluded that the vaccine did not meet the requirement for novelty.

In 1941, Thomas Weller, John Enders, and Frederick Robbins succeeded in culturing the polio virus in a laboratory setting. This became an important step toward development of a polio vaccine. The three American scientists won a Nobel Prize in Physiology and Medicine for this achievement in 1954. Neither Salk, nor Sabin won a Nobel Prize for their vaccines.

Sabin, whose vaccine was tested outside the United States before it was approved for use here, belittled

Salk's vaccine, calling it "kitchen chemistry." He asserted that his weakened virus vaccine was cheaper to manufacture and easier to administer (drops on a sugar cube rather than injection in the arm). It replaced the Salk vaccine for routine immunization in 1963 and became the vaccine of choice by the Center for Disease Control until 2000, when CDC reverted to the Salk vaccine. The World Health Organization still uses Sabin's oral vaccine for routine immunizations.

Both Salk and Sabin wanted to make their vaccine as cheap as possible. They were against patents, which would raise the cost. Neither sought personal enrichment. In 1954, New York City offered Salk a ticker tape parade down Broadway. He refused it, insisting that the money would be better spent on scholarships for medical education in New York universities. To date, NYC has awarded more than 500 scholarships to needy medical students under the program.

More to come in Part 3.

MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE

Suzy Klein

We hope you all are having a good start to the new year. We are thankful that JRLW, with a membership of more than 700 members, is able to assist you in meeting other Jewish residents of Leisure World with similar interests to yours. We provide monthly religious services and interesting programs.

We had a fabulous Sunday brunch last month with musical entertainment celebrating the holidays. We plan more monthly brunches with interesting speakers. Keep an eye out in your mail for our monthly newsletter, the Megillah, to be kept informed about all the wonderful events and programming that JRLW provides to our members and guests. Remember to introduce yourself to those who you do not know when you are attending our services and other events. Please encourage those who are not members to join our organization.

Have a wonderful February. Keep safe. Thank you for being a member of Jewish Residents of Leisure World.

Suzy Klein smklein.advocate@gmail.com

Linda Nelson lpnelson3@comcast.net

CANTOR'S CORNER

Michael Kravitz

This year on the Gregorian calendar TU B' SHVAT, the "New Year of the trees," falls on February 6. TU B'SHVAT is often called the Jewish "Earth Day." It occurs on the 15th day of the month of Shvat and it comes at a time when the rainy season in Israel is over and new growth of foliage begins. TU B'SHVAT was originally used as a day to mark the age of trees for tithing purposes. Today, it is not only a chance to honor trees, but also a reminder that we need to take care of the earth to allow it to bring forth its bounties that we need for survival.

It became a custom, in 16th Century Safed, to have a seder for TU B'SHVAT that was similar to the ones which were held on Pesach. Not only were fruits native to the holy land consumed, but four cups of wine were also consumed. But not just any wine. The cups included white wine, rose wine, light red wine and dark red wine. The reason was that darkening is the natural order of ripening. So, if white wine represented nature's potential, then dark red wine represented nature in its full bloom. Pretty ingenious thinking.

So, how should we celebrate TU B'SHVAT this year? Let me make several suggestions.

1. Plant trees, either here or in Israel.

2. Have a TU B'SHVAT seder where various type of fruits and wines are consumed.

3. SING

Two of my favorite songs for TU B'SHVAT are by Carol Boyd Leon and they are perfect to share with your grandchildren/great grandchildren. The first is "I Wanna Be a Tree." You can find it on your computer by typing into your browser "73 Tu b'Shvat Videos on YouTube." It is the second video. The other song is "Tu Tu Tu B'Shvat." Type this title into your browser, and it should be the top video on the right.

Enjoy. And CHAG SAMEACH.

JEWISH WAR VETERANS

KRIEGER-LOUBE POST 567

Jerome "Jerry" Cohen

The next members' monthly business meeting will be held on Wednesday, February 1, 2023, at 11 am, via Zoom video and telephone conferencing. Former, current and prospective members are invited to participate in these friendly and welcoming meetings. Zoom instructions will be provided separately to all members a day or two prior.

Happy February birthday wishes to Post members: Robert Benezra, Dick Levine, Stanley Stoller and Bob Stromberg.

Jewish men and women who served honorably during war or peacetime in any branch of the U.S. Military, on active or reserve duty, as national guardsmen or in the PHSCC or NOAA Corps are eligible to join the Post. All other men and women may apply for Patron membership.

For those who want additional information, have questions about membership, or wish to receive the Post's e-newsletter, contact Post Commander Jerry Cohen at 301-442-4942 or jeromeacohen67@outlook.com.

Donations to the Post are appreciated and may be made payable to "JWV 567" and mailed to Dottie Chanil, 3829 Glen Eagles Drive, Silver Spring, MD 20906.



WE REMEMBER



Norma Marlene Milhiser. Estelle B. Donin. Allan Firestone. Barbara Grossman Neugroschel. May Their Memory Be As A Blessing.

HADASSAH NEWS

Barbara Eisen

On Tuesday, February 15, Sarit Scott, a retired law enforcement officer with the Montgomery County Police Department (MCPD), will conduct a "Fraud Prevention and Identification" presentation. She works at M&T Bank and was a Regional Fraud Investigations Manager before her present position as a BSA Compliance Specialist.

With her vast experience in detecting fraud, she will increase our knowledge in dealing with this crime. The fee for the program is \$5. It can be paid at the door with a check payable to Hadassah, or cash. Refreshments will be served.

Mark the date, Wednesday, March 15. Our group is planning an "Accessory and White Elephant Sale." We would like donated pocketbooks, jewelry and new or gently used kitchen or gift items. Donations can be brought to the February meeting or delivered to Sandy Stein at 607 Cannon Road, Silver Spring, MD 20904. Sandy will also be glad to pick up your contributions. For pickups or questions, call Sandy at 301-384-8739.

"Welcoming the Stranger" will be the topic for Hadassah's Judaic Study Group at 1:30 pm on Monday, February 20, 2023. Everyone is invited. Marcia Elbrand will lead the discussion, using short selections from the Torah portion Mishpatim, Ex. 21:1-24:18, which is read at this time of year. "In our lives, we have many opportunities to welcome strangers—whether a new neighbor, someone you don't know sitting next to you at a service, or someone considering becoming a Jew." "All matter," Elbrand says. This program is free. The presentation will be on Zoom. Hadassah members will receive an emailed notice with a link to access the program. Others may send an email to Marylin Jordan at mjordan2262@comcast.net to get the link.

Elaine Schenberg and Jan Bloom sell Hadassah greeting cards. The price of cards is \$3 each for one to three cards and \$2.50 each for four or more cards. Call Elaine at 301-598-0079 or Jan at 301-593-7720 to buy cards. They will even send them for you if you add postage costs to the regular fees.

Beverly Weinstein is chair of Hadassah's Youth Aliyah/Children at Risk project, which is currently accepting Ukrainian children into their youth villages in Israel. Consider a donation to this worthwhile project. Those who would like to contribute can send a check, payable to Hadassah, to Beverly Weinstein at 12524 Eastbourne Drive, Silver Spring, MD 20904. For questions, call her at 301-622-1613.

Hadassah encourages women of any faith to join as an annual or life member. Special associate memberships are available to men. If interested in knowing more about Hadassah, contact Linda Epstein at 301-847-9650.

TORAH and PRAYER BOOK FUNDS

Individuals can be honored and loved ones memorialized with a contribution to the JRLW Torah or Prayer Book Fund for a minimum donation of \$25.00.

PRAYER BOOK FUND

If you would like to make a donation in honor of or in memory of someone in a Reform prayer book, Conservative Prayer book or a Chumash (Bible), please stipulate which one in your request. Please send your requests to donate prayer books to Florence Kasden, 3100 Leisure World Boulevard, #610, Silver Spring MD 20906. Her phone number is 410-251-9382.



TORAH FUND

For contributions to the Torah Maintenance Fund, send your check, made out to JRLW, to Carol Wendkos,14805 Pennfield Circle, #212, Silver Spring, MD 20906.

Andrea Kirsch made a donation in memory of Arnold Kline, brother of Steve Kline.



LET'S "TALK" ABOUT TU B'SHVAT!

Cantor Wendy Gonzales cantorwendyg@gmail.com



Let's "talk" about Tu B'Shvat! What a wonderful thing to be idealistic and love your land, as in Eretz Yisrael - the land of Israel - so much that you honor the purpose and benefits one receives from

the trees. In the United States we often take this for granted; there is a holiday called Arbor Day which is celebrated this year on April 28. But other than when I was a child in elementary school, I never recall celebrating this similar day honoring the appreciation and planting of trees.

Two years ago, while we were in the midst of the pandemic, JRLW sponsored a Tu B'Shvat seder that I led via Zoom. It was well-attended with many of our viewers participating in the seder. We incorporated the various fruits, sang songs and honored the New Year of the Trees together! I hope we can do this again sometime, in person.

What does a Tu B'Shvat seder look like? Well, we actually follow a Haggadah, except instead of Pesach, it is designed for Tu B'Shvat. We have specially designed four questions and drink 4 symbolic cups of wine which are mixed in different colors to represent the four seasons. If anyone would like a copy of my Tu B'Shvat Haggadah, please feel free to email me.

It is imperative that we acknowledge the importance of taking care of the resources provided to us on Earth;,those that nature has so expertly provided us with for survival. So, try and take some time during Tu B'Shvat beginning at sundown on Sunday, February 5, through sundown on Monday, February 6, 2023, to celebrate and honor our gifts from nature through our trees and plants.

I cannot close this month without mentioning the amazing experience we celebrated at our Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. service on January 6, 2023. With almost 200 people attending and an amazing collaboration between JRLW members, Shir Delight and the LWAAAC Chorus, Rabbi Fink, Juanita Sealy Williams, pianist Everett Williams, Jr. and our LWAAAC friends – we had an Erev Shabbat service that I truly believe will be in our treasured memory for a very long time. My gratitude to the many JRLW members and Board members who attended, as well as Alan and Linda Nelson for sponsoring a beautiful Oneg Shabbat. By the way, we have several JRLW members who have volunteered to set up and take down our monthly beautiful Oneg Shabbats facilitated by Barbara Jacobowitz and under the guidance of Anita Sperling. It truly takes a village. My heartfelt thanks to all who have come together for our monthly services.

GOOD AND WELFARE

We wish a speedy recovery to Herb Hodes. Herb takes care of our shiva minyans, a valuable service to our members.

We send our wishes for a speedy return good health to Barbara Firestone. We send Barbara our sincere sympathy for the loss of her husband, Allan Firestone.

Happy to see Marcia Crystal home after her fall and her stay in rehab.



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ONEGS ARE BACK!!! KIDDISHES ARE BACK!!!

Shalom dear friends,

In case you haven't been to our JRLW services in recent months, we are now offering nice Kiddishes and Onegs after the service. This is great because we want to sit and shmooze together after a service, like we used to be able to do. However, as you know, food prices have been soaring and we want to continue to offer these treats for our members but we also need to request funds from our members. Can you sponsor or co-sponsor an Oneg? Celebrate a grandchild's birth or bar/bat mitzvah with an Oneg? Celebrate a wedding anniversary? Celebrate a birthday? Please let me know at ellynsu@verizon. net and I'll be sure to mention you in the Megillah as well as at the Oneg. Thank you again to Allan and Linda Nelson for sponsoring the extra large Kiddish in January. And thanks to Anita Sperling, Barbara Jacobowitz, Helen Goldberg, Ruth Ploff, Iris Wolf and Rich Sherman for helping set up and clean up after the Onegs. Anita and Barbara, thanks for doing the purchasing and coordinating!

On Sunday, February 5, we will honor Mother Earth as we celebrate Tu B'Shevat. Tu B'Shevat is a Jewish holiday occurring on the 15th day of the Hebrew month of Shevat. It is also called Rosh HaShanah La'llanot, literally "New Year of the Trees." In contemporary Israel, the day is celebrated as an ecological awareness day, and trees are planted in celebration. Can you list at least 10 things that trees give us? I asked this of my students in Hebrew School and the list is much longer than 10 things. From air, to erosion protection, to fruits, to homes for animals, to paper, to wood for homes, to wood for buildings and fireplaces, to a fun place to climb to gum to syrup to......well, you catch my drift. Trees are so important to our wellbeing. Good thing we have a day to honor them and all they and Mother Nature do for us.

Looking ahead to March, we will be celebrating Purim - the happiest holiday! Please save the date and get your costume ready for Tuesday, March 7, 10:00 am, when we will hear parts of the megillah being read, nosh some hamantashen, shake our graggers and stomp out Haman's name. Location is Clubhouse I, in the Crystal Ballroom. See you on the "Campus"!

Shalom, Ellyn Kaufman Ritual Chair

TZEDAKAH, KIDDUSH AND ONEG DONATIONS

For information about Tzedakah, Oneg or Kiddush donations, please call Susan Weiss at 301-460-6030. Checks should be made out to JRLW and mailed to Susan Weiss, 3739 Glen Eagles Drive, Silver Spring MD 20906.

TZEDAKAH

Susan and Jonas Weiss to Rabbi Gary Fink in memory of his father, Leon Harold Fink.

Cheryl, Rachel and Michael Kravitz to Steve Kline in memory of his brother, Arnold Kline.

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Florence Rosen to Steve Kline in memory of his brother, Arnold Kline.

Elton Peller to best further the needs of JRLW.

Fred Firnbacher in memory of his wife, Betsy.

Martin Hoffman in memory of Stanley Moskowitz.

Martin Hoffman in memory of Steve Kline's brother, Arnold Kline.

Martin Hoffman in memory of his beloved wife, Susan.

Bernice Cohen to Barbara Firestone in memory of her dear husband, Allan Firestone.

Sylvia Eidlin in memory of Harold Eidlin, Gertrude Landau, Harold Landau and Joseph Pulver.

Naomi and Steve Kline in memory of Leon Fink, father of Rabbi Gary Fink.

Kiddush donation by Inge Guttman in honor of her dear relatives.

Susan and Jonas Weiss to Barbara Firestone in memory of her husband, Allan Firestone.

Donation by Dr. Anita Solomon in gratitude to Jewish Residents of Leisure World.

PROGRAM AND EDUCATION

Becky Siman

A big thank you goes not only to Cantor Mike Kravitz for a great Chanukkah presentation but to Ellyn Kauffman for the chocolate gelt and the munchkins and to Bob Shultz for running the PowerPoint presentation. Todah Rabah!

In February JRLW will host a Zoom Speakers Series.

Wednesday, January 15, 7 pm – Marvin Kalb to Speak. Join us for an engaging presentation as Marvin Karb discusses his books about journalism, China and Russia. Kalb authored or co-authored 16 books. The most recent one, published in 2021, is called Assignment Russia.

Mr. Kalb spent 30 years as an award-winning reporter for CBS News and NBC News. His work at CBS notably landed him on Richard Nixon's "enemies list." At NBC, he served as chief diplomatic correspondent and host of Meet the Press. He served 25 years as founding director and Senior Fellow of the Joan Shorenstein Center on the Press, Politics and Public Policy at Harvard University's Kennedy School of Government. Marvin also hosted more than 20 seasons of The Kalb Report, a series of radio/ tv forums on ethics and excellence in journalism. You must register on Zoom to get the links to the discussion. To register use https://tinyurl.com/jrlw1 or wait for the email and you will be able to click on a direct link. You can hear Mr. Kalb speak on a variety of topics on YouTube. Just press the microphone button on your TV remote and say "YouTube, Marvin Kalb".

Tuesday, February 21, 7 pm – Camp Ritchie Lecture by Dr. Beverley Driver Eddy. Dr. Eddy, a professor emerita at Dickinson College in Pennsylvania, will discuss her book, *The Secret History of the Ritchie Boys*. Ritchie Boys is a term used for American soldiers who trained and learned intelligence gathering and analysis at Camp Ritchie in Cascade, Maryland. Several thousand of the soldiers were Jewish refugees who had emigrated to the US to escape Nazi persecution. Dr. Eddy tells their story through interviews with surviving Ritchie Boys. Bernie Lubran, the son of a Ritchie Boy, will join in the discussion.



ON THE LIGHTER SIDE

A 25-year-old Jewish girl tells her mom that she has missed her period for 2 months. Very worried, the mother goes to the drugstore and buys a pregnancy kit. The test result shows that the girl is pregnant.

Shouting and crying, the mother says, "Who was the pig that did this to you? I want to know!" Without answering, the girl picks up the phone and makes a call.

Half an hour later, a Mercedes stops in front of their house. A mature and distinguished man with gray hair and wearing a yarmulke steps out of the car and enters the house. He sits uneasily in the living room with the father, mother, and the girl and tells them, "Good morning. Your daughter has informed me of the problem. I can't marry her because of my personal family situation, but I'll take charge. I will pay all costs and provide for your daughter for the rest of her life.

"Additionally, if a girl is born, I will bequeath two retail furniture stores, a deli, a condo in Miami, and a \$1,000,000 bank account." "If a boy is born, my legacy will be a chain of jewelry stores and a \$25,000,000 bank account." "However, if there is a miscarriage, I'm not sure what to do. What do you suggest?"

All silent at this point, the mother, placed a hand firmly on the man's shoulder and tells him, "So, you'll try again."

RECIPE CORNER

BLUEBERRY MUFFINS

Marcia Crystal

1 ³⁄₄ cups sifted all-purpose flour

1/4 cup sugar

2 ½ tsp. baking powder

1 well beaten egg

3/4 cup milk

1/3 cup olive oil

1 cup fresh blueberries

3 tbsp sugar

Sift flour, baking powder and sugar into bowl. Make a well in center. Combine gg, milk and oil. Add all at once to dry ingredients. Stir quickly, just until dry ingredients are moistened. Mix blueberries with 3 tbsp sugar. Pour into greased muffin pans. Makes one dozen muffins. Bake in 400° oven for 25 minutes. Cool on rack.

You may substitute 1 cup of chocolate chips instead of the blueberries, if desired.





February 2023 Zoom Program Highlights

Wednesday, February 15, Marvin Kalb is on Zoom at 7 p.m.



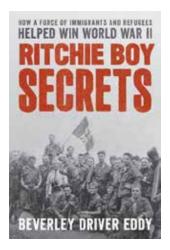
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diplomatic correspondent and host of *Meet the Press*. He served 25 years as founding director and Senior Fellow of the Joan Shorenstein Center on the Press, Politics, and Public Policy at Harvard University's Kennedy School of Government. Marvin also hosted more than 20 seasons of The Kalb Report, a series of radio/tv forums on ethics and excellence in journalism.

You must register on Zoom to get the link to the discussion. To register use **https://tinyurl.com/jrlw1** or wait for the email and you will be able to click on a direct link.

Tuesday, February 21, 7 p.m. Dr. Beverley Driver Eddy Discusses Her Book, <u>The Secret History of Ritchie Boys</u> on Zoom



Zoom in to hear a World War II story that was kept secret for almost 50 years about 15,000 immigrants and refugees who used their native language skills and knowledge of their home countries to help America to victory in World War II. Among those who trained, about 2,000 were German Jewish refugees whose knowledge of the German language and customs helped gather valuable military intelligence.

Dr. Eddy tells their story through interviews with surviving Ritchie Boys. Bernie Lubran, the son of a Ritchie Boy, will join in the discussion.

You must register on Zoom to get the link to the discussion. To register use **https://tinyurl.com/jrlwmtg** or wait for the direct link in the JRLW email.

JRLW Sunday Brunch

February 19, 10:00am Crystal Ballroom, Clubhouse 1 Montgomery County Executive MARC ELRICH

Cost for full Sunday buffet: Member's price is \$21.00 per person ✓ Make checks payable to JRLW Pay by check only at E&R Lifestyle office: Tickets are available for purchase starting January 24 at Club House I.

We will place you at a reserved seat. If there are members with whom you would like to sit (tables of ten), please list them. All seats must be paid at the time of purchase to reserve a table or partial table. Only checks accepted for payment.

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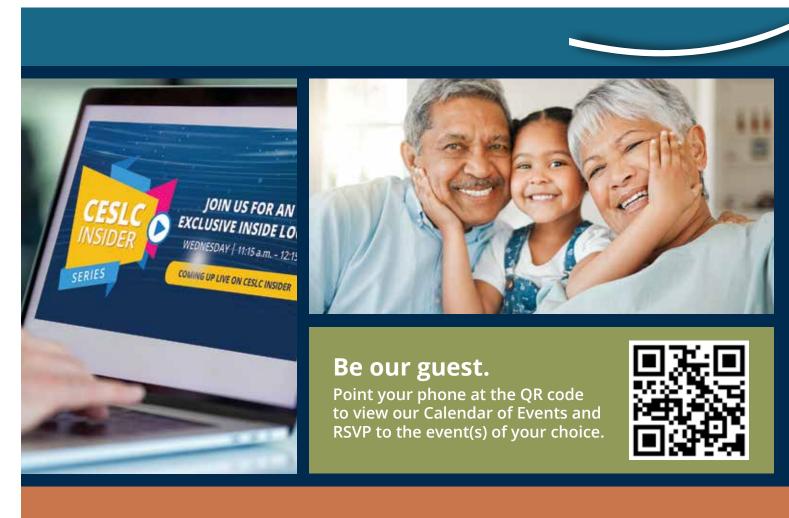
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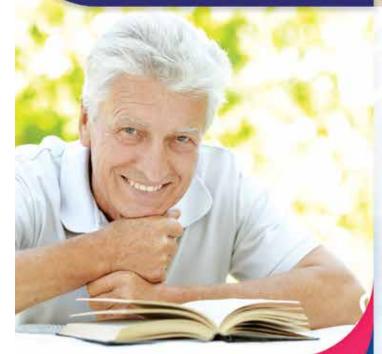
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